Programs for Teens

Teen Advisory Group (TAG): Students in grade 6 and up are invited to join TAG. Being part of TAG is a great way to make new friends, get involved at your library, help plan library events and earn service hours for school. TAG is sponsored by Friends of the Fauquier Library.

To learn more about TAG, contact Ann McDuffie, Bealeton branch library, (540) 422-8535.

TASK—Teens Assisting Kids: TASK is a volunteer program during the school year for teens 13—18 at the Warrenton central library.

To learn more or to apply, contact Jennifer Schultz, Warrenton central library, (540) 422-8516.

Teen Writing Club: Do you write poetry, short stories or a blog? Are you working on a novel?

Teens 13 and older can meet fellow teen writers, get helpful hints and positive feedback and learn about writing contests.

Snacks provided courtesy of Friends of the Fauquier Library. Warrenton and John Marshall libraries.

Outstanding Nonfiction Recommendations for teens

First published on Reading Riot. This is an excerpt—for the full text please visit fauquierlibrary.org.

Teachers, parents and students are often on the lookout for engaging stories that connect with the curriculum. Quality nonfiction encourages students to read and think critically, to ask questions and to look for evidence. The following recommendations examine the real world and encourage readers to consider diverse perspectives.

Eyes Wide Open: Going Behind the Environmental Headlines by Paul Fleischman
Advises readers to question conflicting information, identify bias and scrutinize sources while zeroing in on environment challenges.

The Boys Who Challenged Hitler by Phillip Hoose
An inspiring story which brings to life the young war heroes who sparked a full-blown Danish resistance.

Most Dangerous: Daniel Ellsberg and the Secret History of the Vietnam War by Steve Sheinkin
Traces the story of Daniel Ellsberg, an obscure government analyst who becomes "the most dangerous man in America."

Stonewall by Ann Bausum
Addresses social justice, giving students background on civil rights struggles and challenges faced in society.

~ Ann McDuffie
Youth Services Librarian, Bealeton branch library

**Featured eResource
Ferguson's Career Guidance Center**
Find it at bit.ly/FCPLFCGC

Hey teens, are you thinking about college? Overwhelmed by the possible career options? Not sure "what you want to be when you grow up?"

Here are just a few of the tools available via Ferguson's Career Guidance Center:

- Research Industries & Professions
- Sample Resumes & Cover Letters
- Tools To Apply For Student Loans

And More...

The best part? It's available FREE with your library card!

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WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE LIBRARY?

JANUARY 2016

Sunday / Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday / Saturday
Key: B—Bealeton branch library 10877 Willow Drive North Bealeton	JBP—John Barton Payne Bldg. 2 Courthouse Square Warrenton	JM—John Marshall branch library 4133 Rectortown Road Marshall	W—Warrenton central library 11 Winchester Street Warrenton	Jan. 1 **All Fauquier County Public Libraries closed** **Book Cellar Closed**<hr>Jan. 2 **Book Cellar Open** JBP: 10 a.m.-5 p.m.
Jan. 4 **Baby Steps ST** W: 10:30 a.m.	Jan. 5 **Half Pints ST** W: 10:30 a.m. **Teen Writing Club** W: 7 p.m.	Jan. 6 **Half Pints ST** B: 10:30 a.m. **Toddler ST** W: 10:30 a.m. **Paws to Read** JM: 4 p.m.	Jan. 7 **Preschool ST** B, W: 10:30 a.m.	Jan. 8 **Book Cellar Open** JBP: 10 a.m.-5 p.m. **Preschool ST** JM: 10:30 a.m.<hr>Jan. 9 **Book Cellar Open** JBP: 10 a.m.-5 p.m.
Jan. 11 **Baby Steps ST** W: 10:30 a.m. **Paws to Read** W: 4 p.m.	Jan. 12 **Half Pints ST** W: 10:30 a.m. **Teen Advisory Group (TAG) Meeting** B: 4 p.m. **Homework Help** B: 5—7 p.m.	Jan. 13 **Half Pints ST** B: 10:30 a.m. **Toddler ST** W: 10:30 a.m. **LEGO Free Play @ the Library** W: 4 p.m.	Jan. 14 **Preschool ST** B, W: 10:30 a.m.	Jan. 15 **Book Cellar Open** JBP: 10 a.m.-5 p.m. **Preschool ST** JM: 10:30 a.m.<hr>Jan 16 **Book Cellar Open** JBP: 10 a.m.-5 p.m. **Paws to Read** B: 10:30 a.m.
Jan. 18 **All Fauquier County Public Libraries closed**	Jan. 19 **Half Pints ST** W: 10:30 a.m. **Homework Help** B: 5—7 p.m. **Teen Writing Club** JM: 5 p.m.	Jan. 20 **Half Pints ST** B: 10:30 a.m. **Toddler ST** W: 10:30 a.m. **What's Up Wednesday?** B, JM, W: 4 p.m.	Jan. 21 **Preschool ST** B, W: 10:30 a.m.	Jan. 22 **Book Cellar Open** JBP: 10 a.m.-5 p.m. **Preschool ST** JM: 10:30 a.m.<hr>Jan. 23 **Book Cellar Open** JBP: 10 a.m.-5 p.m.
Jan. 25 **Baby Steps ST** W: 10:30 a.m. During inclement weather, please call (540) 422-8500 to confirm the library is open. Updates can also be found @ www.facebook.com/fauquierlibrary/ and fauquierlibrary.org.	Jan. 26 **Half Pints ST** W: 10:30 a.m.	Jan. 27 **Half Pints ST** B: 10:30 a.m. **Toddler ST** W: 10:30 a.m.	Jan. 28 **Preschool ST** B, W: 10:30 a.m.	Jan. 29 **Book Cellar Open** JBP: 10 a.m.-5 p.m. **Preschool ST** JM: 10:30 a.m.<hr>Jan. 30 **Book Cellar Open** JBP: 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

PROGRAMS FOR CHILDREN

Paws to Read: Children age 5 - 10 read to trained and certified therapy dogs. Children must be accompanied by parent or caregiver; signed permission slip required.

LEGO Free Play @ the Library: Children grades K - 5th will enjoy free play with the library's LEGO collection. LEGOs will be available for all to enjoy.

Homework Help for school age children: Liberty High School National Honor Society members assist elementary and middle school students with homework or class assignments. Students must bring in specific school work to receive tutoring. Free; no registration required. Bealeton branch library. Tutoring is only offered when school is in session.

What's Up Wednesday: This new after-school club combines **S**cience, **T**echnology, **E**ngineering, **A**rt and **M**athematics (STEAM). For children grades K—5. Join us!

Baby Steps Story Time: Infants up to 13 months accompanied by parent or caregiver.

Half Pints Story Time: Children 13 - 24 months accompanied by parent or caregiver.

Toddler Story Time: Children 2 - 3 years accompanied by parent or caregiver.

Preschool Story Time: Preschoolers ages 3 - 5. Parent or caregiver must remain in children's area during story time.

Story Time Returns
Monday, January 4